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1. Through William Darden of the Senate Armed Services Committee Staff, sought Senator Russell's advice on the advisability of the Congressional trip

Senator Russell thought that the invitation was a good idea, although he was very doubtful if he himself could attend. Gen. Cabell passed this information on to the DCI and obtained the DCI's clearance to issue the remainder of the invitations after a check with Speaker Rayburn, as had been recommended by Mr. Smart of the House Armed Services Committee Staff.

2. Was informed by Senator Knowland that the Mansfield Resolution would probably come up for Senate Floor action tomorrow. This word was passed on to the Director, and at his request I left word with Senator Saltonstall that the Director felt Senator Smith would join in opposition to the Mansfield bill. Senator Knowland had indicated that he was giving a copy of a memo we had just furnished him on the Mansfield Resolution to Senator Bridges, although he did not speculate on how Senator Bridges was likely to vote.

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